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RATES OF ADVERTISING.

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

LOUISVILLE AND NASHVILLE AND GREAT SOUTHERN RAILROAD.

BOURBON GARDEN SEED.

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TO OUR PATRONS.

As will be seen by an advertisement elsewhere, we have purchased Mr. J. Baldwin's interest in the CHRONICLE.

NEBLETT & GRANT.

SENATOR LEAKE, of Shelby county, died at Nashville on the 7th inst.

THOMAS H. HYMAN is elected Alderman, in 2nd Ward, in place of T. J. Munford, resigned.

WE are well prepared to print Horse and Jack bills for the Spring season.

CIRCUIT COURT will commence in Charlotte next Monday, Hon. J. E. Rice presiding.

W. J. SKILES, one of the best posted men on the material interests of our State, has become editor of the Nashville Journal of Commerce.

WE are in receipt of the able and neatly printed address upon the "Dignity and Necessity of Labor," delivered by J. B. Killebrew, Esq., before the Huntsville Agricultural and Mechanical Association.

SAD ACCIDENT.—On Tuesday night of last week, a little girl nine or ten years of age, daughter of Mr. M. Black, who lives on the south side of the river, in this county, got up from her bed and going to meet her father, she ran out of the house, and before the flames could be extinguished, she was so badly burned as to cause her death on last Monday.

FROM reliable authority we learn that there is on the south side of the river, a goose of the gander persuasion, which will be fifty-three years old this spring. We are inclined to think he would last a small family "upwards of a good while," if they should undertake to eat him.

Not being able to renew B. F. Coulter's advertisement this week, as he desired, we will spread it over our readers next week. In the meantime he will be receiving, daily, his stock of spring and summer goods, embracing everything in the dry goods line that the public need or desire. He reports to us that he thinks he will be able to sell goods even cheaper this year than he did last. Give him a call and make your selections.

PATENT HAWK.—We have been shown a model of Barton & Holmes' Rotary Hawk, which surpasses anything we have ever seen of the hawk kind. It is a double hawk, the two parts turning in opposite directions, thus breaking all clods and leaving the ground perfectly smooth and level, and is so made as to possess advantages over other hawks on stump or uneven ground. Mr. D. B. Carlisle has the agency for this State and Kentucky. The hawk can be seen at the shop of Barksdale, Clark & Co., on Franklin St.

DRAMATIC.—We learn that the young gentleman of the Hook and Ladder Company contemplate giving another series of dramatic entertainments, commencing about the middle of April. The proceeds, as heretofore will be appropriated to the fund for the erection of a house for their trucks. They will probably begin their building in a short time, and as they now lack only a small portion of the amount necessary, we trust their efforts will meet with that success they so richly deserve.

THE members of this company have endeavored, since its organization, to keep up without asking for aid, except where they could give something in return, and so far they have succeeded, as since that time they have not been five dollars expense to the city, except the amount originally expended for their apparatus, and they have asked no citizen for aid further than to purchase tickets and attend their entertainments, where they have endeavored to give all "the worth of their money."

They have done good service at all the fires which have occurred since they received their apparatus, and merit the encouragement of the public. Give them good houses at their entertainments, and let them feel that their efforts are appreciated.

A SOUTHERN exchange informs us that the only farmers who are prospering in the South, are those who roll up their sleeves and go to work in earnest. All such are men who forget former conditions of prosperity and, casting aside false pride, look the future square in the face and resolve to make it one of success and happy contentment. But the majority, clinging to habits that had better never been formed and associations that belong to the past, sink money by attempting the profitable culture of large areas of impoverished lands with a multitude of worthless laborers and, in the end, find the proceeds in the hands of their hirelings and of those who have made advances for the hopeless experiment.

The former class cultivate no more than they can manage judiciously, incur no debts for demoralized labor, mortgage their crops for no advance of supplies, sell them on the best terms and pocket the proceeds as clear profit. To pursue this policy requires nerve and energy, it demands the sacrifice of all habits at war with the constant attention to business and teaches the invaluable lesson that he is the happiest and most useful man who finds his highest pleasure in the discharge of his duty to himself, his family and his country. How few have learned this lesson, may be inferred from the depressed condition of agriculture in every rural district.

WE want short communications from all parts of the county, giving us the local news of every neighborhood. It is impossible for us to obtain all the items of interest transpiring in the entire county, without such assistance from the best and prettiest people. We hope John will sell all of his purchases to a remnant, and get first cost for them.

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JOINT STOCK COMPANY.—The effort that is being made to organize a stock company to build up the manufacturing interests of our city has met with the endorsement and signatures of many of our citizens. We hope all who are able, will take stock and enable the company to begin work in earnest.

Still other parties have in view a co-operative plan to bring about the same desirable ends contemplated by the above mentioned company. It is to be hoped that between the two, great good may be accomplished, and lasting benefits accrue to our city from these laudable projects. We cannot see that they interfere at all, one with the other—both are aiming to benefit our trade and people. Let our citizens examine into their merits and then assist them in their noble work.

FIRE.—About half past five o'clock yesterday morning a fire was discovered in a frame house on Second street, near the railroad, owned by T. T. Willis, and occupied by Mr. Morrissey. The origin of the fire is not known. The fire department was promptly on hand and soon extinguished the fire. Damage four or five hundred dollars. No insurance.

WE regret to learn that Mr. W. M. Organ, assistant pike-man of Deluge Fire Company, was severely injured by a fall from a ladder. His injuries, though painful are not dangerous.

JOHN MASSIE, of the firm of Harrison, Massie & Co., is sending forward his spring purchases. Our merchants appear to be vying with each other, more than ever, as to who can present the best and prettiest goods.

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RIVER NEWS.

The river was falling slowly at this point yesterday, with six feet on the shoals. The jacks are very irregular, but we hope they will make their arrangements so as to be more punctual in the future.

J. B. Hall, captain of the Bermuda, is an old journalist. In 1844 he published in Lawrenceburg, Indiana, the Dearborn County Register. In 1852 he founded and for seven years successfully conducted the Evansville Enquirer. Recently he was connected with the Evansville Courier. Now he runs a newspaper, and then a steamboat. Always doing either well. He's a trumper!

In the olden time it was customary on our Western steamboats for the cabin passengers to pay their fare at the end of the trip. On one occasion an impetuous individual approached Capt. O. W. Davis, now commanding the John Lunsford, and asked him if he was the master of the boat, and if his name was Owen Davis. Being told that the same was correct, this Bohemian coolly replied: "Well, Captain, when I leave your boat I'll be Owen Davis."

The river editor of the Avalanche crowns the following facts into his column:

The first steamboat that ever loaded on the Ohio and Mississippi was the New Orleans, of 400 tons, built at Pittsburgh in 1812, by Mr. Fulton of New York. She ran between New Orleans and New York for about two years, when she was wrecked near Baton Rouge.

The valley of the Mississippi river extends through thirty degrees of longitude, and twenty-three degrees of latitude. It drains an area of 2,455,350 miles. The Amazon river, in South America, drains 2,000,000 of square miles, and the Nile 520,000 miles, and the Volga 400,000 miles. The Mississippi has a greater freight capacity than all the waters of the world, and she transports freight at the rate of three mills per ton for each mile, while on railroads the charge is thirty mills to the mile. Ocean vessels charge one and a half mill per mile, and canals ten mills to the mile.

Below is the number of deeds registered in the month of February furnished us by Mr. Rogers, the Registrar:

H. C. Merritt to John Bradley, trustee, lot 33, \$300.
M. E. Kauts and others to L. E. Foster, interest in land, \$300.
J. N. Brounau and wife to J. E. Foster, interest in land, \$30.
W. B. Halyard, to J. E. Foster, land, \$50.
W. B. Collins to Henry Mallory, colored, lot 31, \$50.
W. B. Collins to W. Collins, colored, title bond, \$400.
R. Elliot to G. M. and Thomas Heflin, land, \$400.
G. M. and Thomas Heflin to W. J. Sherron, land, \$1,000.
M. H. Kauts to Mary A. Foster, land, \$400.
S. C. Harris to C. O. & L. S. Collins, land, \$400.
P. J. V. Johnson to G. M. Johnson, land, \$100.
Mrs. Jane E. Bradley to R. O. Keese, land, \$100.
James Dubois to Bryant Outlaw, land, \$120.
John Lewis to Missouri Lockert, land, \$100.
J. E. Barker and others assigns of Settle & Son, bankrupts, to John E. Moore, lots, \$855.
Charles W. R. to J. E. Barker and others, lot to Clarksville H & L Co., lot, \$700.
Clarksville H & L Co. to Chas. C. Evans, lot, \$700.
J. E. Barker and J. J. Garrett to J. B. Thabern, lot in New Providence, \$2,800.
J. B. Thabern and J. J. Garrett, to J. J. Garrett, land, \$1,500.
J. E. Barker to J. W. Hale, lot \$2,000.
J. W. Hale to Mrs. Fanny Oppenheimer, lot, \$1,800.
Charles G. Smith to Bollin, lot, \$1,000.
F. Johnson to George M. Johnson, land, \$800.
J. W. Foster and wife to H. T. Lyle, land, \$800.
H. Neblett to Ross Neblett, land, \$2,000.
Montgomery County E. G. W. Holt, lot, \$1,000.
J. J. Holmes to Samuel H. Jones, \$600.
Samuel Dunbar and wife to G. G. Thomason, interest in land, \$250.

In the State Senate, on the 1st inst., the following new bill was offered by Mr. Lindsey:

To punish and prevent drunkenness, and to amend the tipping laws. It provides that it shall be a misdemeanor for any person to appear in a state of intoxication in any of the public streets or public places in this State, and makes it the duty of all Sheriffs or police officers to arrest without warrant, all persons so found, and carry them before any Justice or City Recorder. If convicted, a fine of from \$5 to \$20, or imprisonment for not more than ten days, or both, at the discretion of the court. It also makes habitual drunkenness a misdemeanor, the convicted party to be fined from \$20 to \$50, or imprisoned for not more than six months, or both, at the discretion of the court. It further gives Grand Jurors inquisitorial powers concerning the offense of habitual drunkenness, and requires the Judges of the State to give the same special charge to the Grand Jury, the Attorney-General to have \$50 for the cost of such cases, from any of the funds of the State, and a true bill found, but no conviction had. All fines arising under the act to go to county public schools, and makes all persons convicted of being an habitual drunkard ineligible to any office of profit or trust, whether State, county or municipal, for a period of one year from date of conviction. Any person who is convicted of such cases, from any of the funds of the State, may be retried for the same offense, after six months from any former conviction. It makes it the duty of all vendors of spirituous, vinous or malt liquors, to keep constantly posted, in a conspicuous place of their business, a printed copy of this act. A fine of from \$25 to \$50 shall be imposed for a violation of this section.

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COMMISSIONERS TO VIENNA.

On the 7th inst., Gov. Brown appointed Gen. J. T. Wilder, of Chattanooga; Prof. J. M. Stoddard, of Lebanon; and J. H. Rogers, of Memphis, as commissioners to represent the State of Tennessee at the Vienna Exposition.

LIBERAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR TENNESSEE.

The following are amongst the appropriations made by Congress during the session just closed:

For the Knoxville Custom House, \$100,000.
For the Nashville " " " " 100,000.
For the Memphis " " " " 100,000.
For the Cumberland " " " " 100,000.
Total, \$400,000.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

See statement of that excellent institution, the First National Bank, of this city.

Pollock & Johnson, General Insurance and Real Estate Agents, will insure life, property, or attend to the buying, selling or renting of real estate. They are clever and reliable gentlemen, and will promptly attend to all business entrusted to them.

Armed to the Teeth.

Is a very common expression, but we think armed to embellish and preserve them to a ripe old age is decidedly more beneficial and appropriate—this can only be done by the fragment "Soxodont!" For cleansing, beautifying and preserving the teeth, sweetening and purifying the breath, it has no equal.

Spalding's Glue is up to the sticking point.

Dr. Tuttle's Pills.

Is a purely vegetable concentration for keeping the bowels in natural motion and a positive cure for constipation. They regulate the diseased Liver, Stomach, and Kidneys to a healthful action, while at the same time they brace and invigorate the whole system.

Dr. Tuttle's Celebrated Expecto-rant—How It Acts.

First it detaches from the bronchial and windpipes the mucus or matter which sometimes adheres to them with the tenacity of glue. Secondly, it mitigates the pain and removes the constriction of the chest. Thirdly, it restores the progress of inflammation, and assists the lungs to throw off the irritating matter which accumulates.

FINANCIAL.

Gold in New York on Thursday, March 13, closed at 115 1/2. Tennessee bonds—old issue, \$20, new issue, \$20. We give the following as the market prices at this date for the ensuing week:

Eastern Exchange, buying 1/2, selling 1/2 premium.
Gold, buying 1/2, selling 1/2.
Silver premium, 1/2.
Tennessee bonds (old) 80.
Tennessee bonds (new) 80.
Montgomery county bonds, 75.
Clarksville bonds, 75.
Montgomery county warrants, 80 to 85.

CLARKSVILLE WHOLESALE MARKET.

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